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KUWAIT-IRAN RELATIONS  
SUBJECT: DEMARCHE DELIVERED: TRAVEL OF UNSC-DESIGNATED  
IRANIANS

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Classified By: Ambassador Richard LeBaron for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d)

(C) PolOff delivered reftel demarche May 12 to Mansour Al-Oulaimi, the Iran desk officer at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. PolOff underscored that permitting transit of UN Security Council-designated Iranians through Kuwaiti territory could provide the Iranians with an opportunity to undermine the credibility of UNSCRs 1737 and 1747 and potentially embarrass the Kuwaiti government. Al-Oulaimi agreed that the international community must remain united in pressuring the Iranian regime to change its behavior and comply with its obligations under the Non-proliferation Treaty. He undertook to follow up on the issue with other relevant MFA departments. Post will report any further reaction septel.

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